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SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE FOR ANTONIO GUZMAN

REF: SANTO DOMINGO 3014

1. PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT TO
PRESIDENT-ELECT ANTONIO GUZMAN. QUOTE:

DEAR MR. GUZMAN:

I WAS VERY PLEASED TO LEARN THAT THE DOMINICAN CENTRAL
ELECTORAL BOARD HAS CONCLUDED ITS DELIBERATIONS AND
OFFICIALLY CERTIFIED YOUR ELECTION AS PRESIDENT. I OFFER
MY CONGRATULATIONS ON THIS OCCASION WHICH REPRESENTS THE
SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION OF A DEMOCRATIC ELECTORAL PROCESS
IN YOUR COUNTRY AND CONSTITUTES AN ENCOURAGING EXAMPLE
FOR THE ENTIRE HEMISPHERE.

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WILL CONTINUE TO BE STRONG.

I DEEPLY REGRET THAT I WILL NOT BE ABLE TO ATTEND YOUR
INAUGURATION ON AUGUST 16. I HAVE, HOWEVER, ASKED

SECRETARY OF STATE CYRUS VANCE AND AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED NATIONS ANDREW YOUNG TO REPRESENT ME THERE. THE SECRETARY OF STATE WILL SPEAK FOR ME IN REAFFIRMING THE IMPORTANCE OF THIS EVENT TO OUR TWO COUNTRIES AND TO THE HEMISPHERE.

MY GOVERNMENT AND I ANTICIPATE WORKING CLOSELY WITH YOURS ON AREAS OF MUTUAL CONCERN FOLLOWING YOUR INAUGURATION. I WISH YOU EVERY SUCCESS IN FURTHERING THE ECONOMIC WELFARE AND THE DEMOCRATIC PROGRESS OF THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.

SINCERELY,

(SIGNED) JIMMY CARTER UNQUOTE.

2. THE WHITE HOUSE WILL NOT RELEASE TEXT OF MESSAGE BUT HAS NO OBJECTION TO RELEASE BY PRESIDENT-ELECT GUZMAN.

3. THE SIGNED ORIGINAL OF THIS PRESIDENTIAL LETTER, DATED JULY 12, IS BEING POUCHED TO THE AMBASSADOR. CHRISTOPHER

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